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A. H. CLEMENT, Editor.

THURSDAY, JULY 29, 1926

Moses' Wives

While Josephus is not considered a very reliable historian it is generally conceded by scholars that Moses was married twice.

In numbers 12:1, the challenge of Moses to be God's sole spokesman is strangely combined with a complaint respecting his marriage with a Cushite or Ethiopian woman. Elsewhere his wife is represented as a Midianite (Ex. 16-21) or a Kenite (Judges 1:6; 4:11.)

It is our opinion that he was married twice. But what of it? We do not propose to be facetious but we do not hesitate to say, a Bible Class is not a society for the diffusion of useless knowledge. There are things of such vast importance that it hardly becomes us to dissipate the short time alloted to us on Sunday mornings for the discussion of matters that are immaterial.

This paper cannot undertake to discuss Bible questions or religions.

Supt. Featherston has resigned and has secured a position we learn in Richmond with the new tax commission. J. A. Burke has been appointed Supt. of schools. The fight made against Mr. Featherston when he was up for re-appointment last year resulted in an agreement whereby he was to resign after one year. Then Prof. Crawley, who was opposing him withdrew from the contest and the school board raised his salary to $2,000. The net result of the efforts of those opposing the old superintendent was that the Professor's salary was raised and Mr. Burke gets the superintendency and Mr. Featherston is taken care in a state office at Richmond—all are now on the pay roll and all have our best wishes for the proper administration of their offices. The friends of Mr. Burke assert that he will make an efficient superintendent.

Va. Banks Safe

Virginia banks are in a highly satisfactory condition, according to a statement issued by M. E. Bristow, chief exaniner of banks for the state corporation commission.

Mr. Bristow said:

"I would call attention to the fact that of the forty-nine banks stated to have closed their doors the 13th, it should rather be referred to as one failure, as they were members of a chain system, and were so involved and interdependent that when any considerable portion of them faced trouble it was calculated to carry down the rest.

"This chain is composed of 120 banks it is shown. It is my opinion that this trouble was caused by speculation in Florida during the recent past, and if true, was to be expected.

"In Virginia, we have no such condition, and I know of no speculation on the part of Virginia banks anywhere. No institution in Virginia has as many as a half dozen branches. And when several branches are maintained the rule is to limit them to the city of the parent bank or the near-by locality. This makes them but so many doors to the home bank. We have no chain banks with us and I know of no tendency in that direction. Such branch banking as we have meets my hearty approval and is highly sanitary.

"The financial situation of Va. as far as I know it, is very satisfactory. The long dry period which we have just passed though has possibly cut some crops short, but may have the effect of boosting prices. So it is debatably whether more money would have come into a given community as net profit if the crops were larger and the prices lower, than if the crops were somewhat short and prices better. Naturally we have had poor crops in spots and at times, but I cannot hardly conceive of a state being more solid than Virginia is.

"The banks of Virginia had, at the last tabulated call, that of April 12, $61,585,000 of total resources. As far as I am able to ascertain, these figures represent our high-water mark. It certainly does as to state banks, for they rose from $255,205,000, Dec. 31, 1925, to $274,380,000 April 4. The call of June 30 is in process, and I am unable to give any figures at this time, but I confidently expect to see a furthur increase in our resources, and I observe nothing unfavorable in our financial condition from those which have been turned in."

STATEMENT OF THE Financial Condition of the State Bank of Pamplin, Incorporated, located at Pamplin, in the county of Appomattox, State of Virginia, at the close of business June 30, 1926, made to the State Corporation Commission.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	53,703 05
Overdrafts, unsecured	186 46
Bonds, securities, etc., owned, including premiums	2,250 00
Banking house and lot	2,150 00
Other real estate owned	2,200 00
Furniture and fixtures	1,779 00
Cash and due from banks	12,978 92
Total	4,76,248 43

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000 00
Undivided profits, less amount paid for interest, expenses and taxes	1,311 45
Dividends unpaid	350 00
Individual deposits subject to check	36,204 93
Time certificates of deposit	3,953 58
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,645 44
U. S. deposits	222,218 40
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit money borrowed	50,000 00
Reserved for accrued interest on certificates of deposit	287 50
Reserved for accrued taxes	150 00
Total	$4,76,248 43

I, S. Pierce Loving, cashier, do solemnly swear that the above statement is a true and the fair and condition of State bank of Pamplin, incorporated, located at Pamplin, in the County of Appomattox, State of Virginia, at the close of business on the 30th day of June 1926, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. PIERCE LOVING, Cashier

Correct—Attest: L. N. LIGON, P. C. FRANKLIN, F. H. LUCKIN, Directors

State of Virginia, County of Appomattox Sworn to and subscribed before me by S. Pierce Loving, Cashier, this 13 day of July 1926

My Commission Expires March 17 1928

W. E. BRIGHTWELL, Notary Public

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ROCKS NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Meadows, who have been visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Roach and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ranson in this vicinity, have returned to their home in Roanoke.

Mrs. Tipton Jennings had as her guests last week, Mrs. Artie Munger and daughter, Helen, Frank Blunt, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Akers, all of Roanoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Ranson, of Lynchburg, and Mr. Rhomy Wilson were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ranson.

Some of the young people around here expect to go to Norfolk Friday.

Miss Dorothy Marsh, of Lynchburg, visited home people last week end.

Misses Ethel Anderson, Annie, Lizzie, Alice, and Gladys Ranson, were visitors at Hampden-Sidney on Friday at the Short Course.

We have just received a new shipment of voiles, crepes, silks, and silk underwear.

INGE'S NOVELTY SHOPPE

Miss Rose Lee Co... Marshall Ledger ... tal was the ... her parents, Mr. and Mrs. ... Caldwell, also Miss ... Caldwell, who is at... S. T. C., at Farmville, ... week-end guest of ... Mr. and Mrs. M. C. ...

Mr. Richard Smith ... ed his position as Ma... Lawson Hdw. Co., and ... ton Jamerson succeeds ... manager. Mr. James ... accepts a position with ... pany.

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Put a De Laval side by side with any other separator of approximate capacity. Your De Laval Agent will gladly arrange this. Mix 10 gallons of milk from the herd and let it stay at normal room temperature of 70 degrees. Run half through each machine. Wash the bowl and tinware of each. Then run its own skim-milk through the De Laval skim-milk through the other machine and test for butterfat the cream that each goes from the other's skim-milk. The De Laval will skim so much closer than the other that the De Laval skims cleaner, is easier to turn and means more profit...to its owner.

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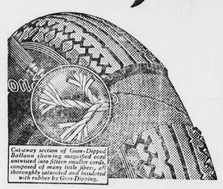

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30x3½ Reg. Cl. Cord	8.95	30 x 4.75 "	15.60
30x3½ Ex. Size Cl. Cord	9.95	29 x 4.95 "	16.45
31x4 S. S. Cord	15.75	30 x 5.25 "	18.15
32x4½ " "	23.35	31 x 5.25 "	19.05
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Hot Fight

On last Thursday above Massie's Mill, in Nelson County, an attempt was made by a posse to capture Gilbert Tyree, who is said to be wanted in Texas for murder, and also for breaking jail in Nelson some years ago.

Using a machine gun of the forty-five caliber riot type, with a killing range of a thousand yards, Gilbert Tyree, 22, mountaineer, alleged murderer, automobile thief etc., held 11 men at bay when they came upon him barricaded behind a locust tree.

The posse, after attempting to arrest Tyree by a demand of "hands up," and receiving a voley from the machine gun which made them all scramble for cover and for an advantageous position whence they could attack the man with a degree of safety for themselves.

Rucker Brent, 20, of Massie's Mill, later came upon the man higher up the mountain, and shot at him three times with a shot gun before the machine gun was unleashed again, spattering dirt above the head of Brent, who immediately dropped into a deep ditch. Tyree then disappeared.

No one was injured in any of the fighting, it is thought although Brent claims to have hit Tyree with the number eight shot which he had loaded his gun.

Following the two unsuccessful attempts to capture Tyree the posse dropped back to Massie's Mill, leaving a guard to see that he did not cross the mountain, and called for bloodhounds.

After a wait of several hours, the dogs of A. E. Stump, of Lynchburg, arrived and a search was instituted by a heavily armed posse. Alex Bingham, one of the best auto inspectors in the state was a member of the posse and brought back as a trophy of the fight one of the riot guns which is attracting much attention in our town. He also shows one of the battered steel bullets which penetrated a locust post behind which Alex was seeking safety. Many shots were fired at the fleeing fugitive as he disappeared in the mountains, but no word of his capture has yet been received. The posse captured two fine cars and two men relatives of the fugitive and they are in Nelson Jail.

VERA

After four days of torrid weather we are having a surcease, due to refreshing showers. Existence is becoming bearable once more.

We notice in the papers that in several different sections of Virginia, water sources, springs, etc., have dried up, as well as wells going dry—this must be a favored section of the country; as springs abound and we heard of not even one spring drying up—we have had a great deal of hot dry weather this year; but there is still plenty of water.

The "bean beattle" seems to have made its appearance in some parts of Virginia. So far, we have heard of none in this section.

There will be a lawn party and play at Vera on Sat. July 31st, the play, entitled "Aaron Slick from Pumpkin Crick" will be rendered by Vera talent and should be good.

Mr. William Beale, while helping thresh wheat last week had the misfortune of having a pitch fork run through his shoe into his foot, which made a painful though not dangerous wound.

We regret to report the illness of both the venerable Thomas Harvey, and his good wife. Mr. Harvey is a veteran of the civil war; and the unveiling of the tablet at the surrender grounds, recently, was delegated to him; he being the oldest veteran present. Mr. Harvey is 91 years old.

Miss Florence Grow who has been suffering with her throat for some time, is in Lynchburg and expects to be operated upon today, her mother, who has been in Roanoke for some time is with her.

Mrs. Carrington Carter was reported quite sick last week, we hope to hear of her speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar LeFew, of Lynchburg, who spent their vacation with relatives left Monday to visit other friends near Oakville.

Dr. and Mrs H. B. Foster, and children, of Littleton, N. C., are visiting Mrs. Foster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kinney.

Mr. R. K. Moss, of Danville, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Judson Kinney, and family.

Mrs. Jerome Menefee, who has been in Lynchburg the past week has returned.

STONEWALL

Refreshing showers came last week and the crops and gardens are green and growing again.

Miss Elva Stratton left Monday a. m. for a week' visit in Norfolk with relatives.

Rob Stratton, of South Carolina, is spending his vacation at home and enjoying fox hunting.

Messrs. LeGrand, Morton, Harvey, and Rev. Redding, of Appomattox, had a Forty Fox chase Friday night around Stonewall.

Mr. and Mrs. John LeGrand, of Lynchburg, are the house guests of Mr. LeGrand's sister, Mrs. J. A. Stratton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Isabell and little daughter, and Mrs. Laura Isabell, of Washington, will arrive Wednesday to spend some time in the Stratton home.

Miss Margaret Neighbors spent last week with her brother, J. W. Neighbors, Jr., and Mrs. Neighbors in Lynchburg.

Sears Taylor, Kenneth Alvis and R. D. Chew arrived Thursday by motor cycle from Fort Monroe, where they have been in camp since leaving V. P. I. Alvis and Chew left Saturday a. m. for Staunton where they will be joined by Chew's brother on a trip to North Dakota, Canada and other places of interest.

Miss Annie Alvis, who is attending Columbia University, passed the week-end with the Misses O'Brien in Boston.

Mr. Homesy Tanner, of Crewe, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Anderson, and daughters, Mary and Jean; Mr. and Mrs. Dunkley Gunter, and little son, visited relatives in Lynchburg Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Rosa Carson, of W. Va., is visiting her brother, B. L. Wheeler, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Drinkard, of Lynchburg, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Drinkard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Drinkard.

Sunday guests in the home of W. H. Drinkard included: Glenn Drinkard, of Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Drinkard, of Lynchburg; Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Chick and daughters, Virginia and Rachel.

Rev. Redding and family, of Appomattox, were Sunday dinner guests of Tom Wright, and family.

Mr. Ragland Featherston and wife, mother, and sister, were Sunday guests of G. A. Stratton, and family. Also Misses LaGrandes of Lynchburg.

Miss Frances Stratton passed the week-end in Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Farrar, and Mr. Tom Farrar, of Fluvanna county, and Miss Elizabeth Rice, of Richmond are the house guests of Hon. J. R. Horsely.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Burke and Miss Melisse Van Wagner, of Chicago, have been recent guests of Mr. Burke's sister, Mrs. Boyd Hamilton, and family.

Mrs. Wiley Brook, of Atlanta, Ga., is guest of her sister, Mrs. Marshall Stratton for a few days.

Miss Cordelia Scruggs, of New York City arrived Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Scruggs.

Your presence will be welcomed to hear Rev. A. I. Caudle during the revival at Hebron Church, begining Sunday 11 a. m. and continuing through the week with services morning and evenings.

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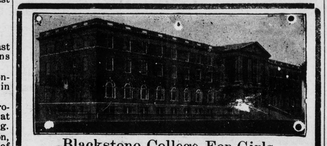

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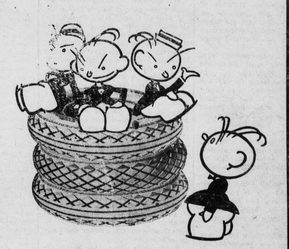

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30x3 1-2 Cl. Cord	9.19
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